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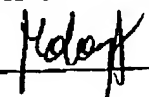
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This is in response to the Office Action mailed on July 15, 2005 and setting a shortened statutory period for response of three months to expire on October 15, 2005. Applicants petition that, if required, the time for response be extended and the corresponding fee be charged. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Acct. No. 11-0224. Applicants further respectfully request that this response be accepted as a bona fide effort to meet any potential response requirements outstanding and due in the above captioned matter.

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